



**In case you missed it, the following are highlights from the May 7, 2025, Cape Coral City Council meeting.**

**Community Recognition Award: Danny Clayton**

City Council and the City Manager recognize the exemplary achievements of Cape Coral residents. Danny Clayton has earned the City of Cape Coral's Community Recognition Award for his excellence in the Special Olympics, including in the sports of Bowling, Bocce Ball, Swimming, Golf, Cycling, Power Lifting, Pickleball, and Tennis.

**Council Approves Construction of Turn Lane at Yellow Fever Creek**

Council approved Resolution 113-25, authorizing the construction of a right turn lane at Yellow Fever Creek Park Preserve. A turn lane is needed to safely accommodate vehicles entering the park from Del Prado Boulevard. Because Del Prado curves east just before the park entrance, visibility and deceleration in the through lane are limited, creating a safety concern.

**Council Accepts Grant Funding to Create Tree Inventory**

Council approved Resolution 129-25, accepting \$12,500 from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to create a Geographic Information System tree inventory. In both 2017 and 2022, our city was struck by powerful hurricanes that dramatically altered the composition of our tree canopy. A City-Managed Tree Inventory will allow us to better measure our urban tree canopy and the green infrastructure maintained by the city.

**Council Approves Replacement Roof for Cultural Park Theater**

Council approved Resolution 138-25, authorizing the replacement of the roof at the Cultural Park Theater. The Theater, built in 1990, is an 8,989-square-foot facility that still has its original roof. This project will involve removing all existing roofing materials and installing a new roof that complies with current state and local building codes.

**Upcoming Public Meetings**

A Cape Coral Community Redevelopment Agency meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 14, 2025, at 9 a.m. in Council Chambers.

A Committee of the Whole meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 14, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in Council Chambers.